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Mis file contains

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# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

*Serial Nos.* Eight

**Part B for** July 38.

**SUBJECT.**

Employment of qualified Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold fields mines.

WD 0295—GPE—22,500—15-8-37

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Under Secy Gen'l

(1) Kindly furnish the papers relating to the formation of the KCT to employ Indian labour & forward a despatch copying what has been done so far

(2) The C.-in-C. explains reasons why the despatch was not sent

(1). Kindly is invited to para 8 of Memorandum d 6/7/36. re the withdrawal of the Indian (Civil) Mining Leases in which it is seen that the Mining representatives had promised to try to do what they could in the matter of the larger employment of qualified Hyderabadis in responsible places.

A draft covering is put up as directed (2) the Chief Engineer has submitted

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NOTE—Contn Sheet.

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Labour employment of qualified Europeans in the Kolar Gold Mines

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OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 11 FEB. 1936 No 61 Confl.

a proposal to depute Mr - Doraiswamy to South Africa. The file (35-42) re this has been worked up & submitted separately yesterday

Sig 7/8 Dev. Secy)

3) Dep Secy 7/2/36

5086/8/2

7/2

4) Draft D.O. with myself

Secretary

MW. 10.2.36. Dep

5) Secy 12/2/36

MW 12.2.

6) Issue Dep 13/2/36

To the Chief Inspector of Mines.

Dept. No. D. 5028 B 17.2.36

I forward an extract from Govt C. memorandum and request him to enquire and report what action has been taken by the Mining Companies towards employing more qualified Europeans

Sig A 2 18/2 (21/2

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REPLY

*(To be written on this margin.)*

DEV. & REV. SECRETARIAT
4506
30/3
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

NOTE.

*Dated*.....28th March.....1936.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.
MAR 1936
No. M235

7) During my recent visit to the Kolar Gold Field, I brought to the notice of the Mining Board the necessity for taking some definite action with regard to the employment of Mysoreans on the Gold Mines. While expressing certain difficulties which they felt in the matter, the Superintendents of the Mines promised to do all that was possible an stated that it would greatly facilitate matte if a list of Mysoreans qualified and available for employment ~~and available~~ in different departments (particularly underground work) was supplied to them. The Chief Inspector of Mines, who was present, was requested to have a list prepared in consultation with the Registrar of the University, and the Principal, Engineering College. He may report the action taken and be asked to submit to Government the list of candidates when it is ready.

Development Secretary,
with compliments.

Draft
28/3/36

8) Draft D.O.
30.3.36

9) Sub. Kind ref is invited to Revs. Office letter no 1) 5028 dated 17/4/36 addressed to the chief Inspector of Mines & Geologist in connection with the matter of the larger employment of Qualified Mysoreans in responsible

Employment of Qualified Europeans on the Kolar Gold Mines 4506 (4

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places in the various departments of the Kolar Gold Mines. The receipt of a reply is awaited.

10) The Engineering School is under the control of the Dir of Public Instruction. Orders are solicited as to whether the Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives may be requested to obtain particulars re: qualifications of the Engineering School from the Dir of Public Instruction also for inclusion in the list

8P 11) A draft D.O letter is put up as directed.

2/4 2/4 Secy.

12) Secy 4/4/36

13) HW 5.4.36.

14 Issue Secy 6/4/36

6359 4/4

TYPING SECTION 6. APR. 1936 GENL & REV. SECTT.

2 To Mr Chief Inspector of Mines

D.O.No. D. 6111 dt 8-4-36

Request him to prepare and send to the Mining Co, a list of qualified candidates for employment in the mines, in consultation with the Mines Employment Officer & the D.P.I. & report action taken

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5 Employment of Europeans in Gold Mines

Geol

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General and Revenue Secretariat

From the Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives

No 2400 dated 11/4/34

Forwarding a copy of his letter addressed to the Registrar of the University, Principal, Engineering College, & the Director of P.I.

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REPLY

*(To be written on this margin.)*

GEN. & REV. DEPT.
20 APR 1936
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

OFFICE OF THE
SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL

NOTE

*Dated*.....17.th...Apr.i.l.....*193*6

OFFICE OF THE
SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
17 APR. 1936
NO. 2297

15) I shall be glad to know if you have heard from the Chief Inspector of Mines regarding the question of increased employment of Mysoreans in the Kolar Gold Mines.

Development Secretary,
with compliments.

NLL
17.4.

16) Sub. The chief Inspector of Mines and Boilers has intimated that he has addressed the Registrar of the University, Principal, Engineering College and the Director of Public Instruction to furnish particulars for preparing a list of qualified Mysoreans for employment in the various departments of mines on the K.G.F. This is an ad-interim report and if approved the receipt of further particulars will be awaited.

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Sd/ PB. 2nd member 17) dcg 20/4/36.

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18) NLL 21/4/36.

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Employment of Ugandans in the K.P.F. Mines

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Draft DO enquiring as to the present stage of the question is put up for appn.

Ks 7/8
8/7

to issue
Ug
11.7.36

Done 335 dt 17/7/36

Sd. A draft D.O. reminder is put up for consideration.

Ks 5/12/36

to Issue
Ug
5.12.36

Issued 3812 dt 10-12-36.

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4 From the Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives No 1388 dated 15/12/36

Furnishes the information called for in serial 2 above

It is stated that the Chief Inspector has furnished a list of Ugandan engineering candidates to the following authorities. It is stated that there are no vacancies at present and that in the event, however, of any vacancy arising the claims of Ugandans will receive careful consideration. The list has not been sent and if approved it will be called for.

Secretariat Circular Letter to the Members of

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Employment of Mysoreans on the K.G.F.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

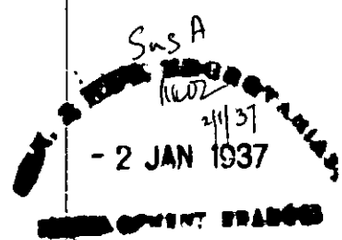
minute dated 28/3/36 (Para 7) above

A draft is put up. for consideration

24 Issued 21.12.36

D 4065 dt 31-12-36 To The chief Insp. of mines and Explosives. 5

Asks him to send a list of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering graduates, which he has supplied to the Secy, K.G.F mining Board




from the chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives 6

No 1486 dated 2/1/37

copy given

Sds a list of Mechanical & electrical Engineering graduates supplied to the Secy, K.G.F. Board.

It is stated that there are no vacancies at present & that in the event of any vacancies arising in future the claims of Mysoreans will be considered

Submitted for perusal with reference to the member's minute dated 28/3/36 (Para 7) above

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Employment of Mysoreans on the K.G.R. (9)

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27

From the reply received it seems clear that the Mining Authorities were by no means certain when they made the vague promise embodied in para 8 of the Memorandum of discussions in 1933 and earlier dates. The Agreement entered into on 25.3.35 makes no reference to the employment of Mysoreans

Dr Secy 7.1.37

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Secretary

MW. 17.1.37

Secy 15.1.37

29 We may require these matters hence whether any of these men have been employed

Secy 17/1/37

MW 18.1.37

Secy 18.1.37

Govt B Hill 18/1/37

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GENERAL OFFICE
16 APR. 1937
No. GA 66

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DEWAN'S MINUTE.

FILE No. 193 .

30 I think it is necessary that we should warn the N.G.F. people again that they have yet to implement the understanding arrived at between them & the Govt. about the employment of Nyasaland at the time the prospecting licence was issued & that a year or so ago — when the lease was renewed. They may be told that Govt. expect them to employ a sufficient number of Nyasas as employed in their organisation.

Dhr
16-4-37

Bro. Secy) 31 For perusal. A draft letter will be submitted in connection with Connected papers are put up.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
16 APR 1937
No 7.3.9.4

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33 Dft. WA 20/4

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Ley 20.4.37

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Good note. a draft — D.o 35

Dew Secy) Ley 21.4.37

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WA 22/4 Ley 22.4.37

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| 37 | Submd with a typed draft- |
| | See 23/4 ante 38 DW Key 26-4-37 |
| | 39 Dft for comm[n]. |
| | Secnd m[r]) WQ 24/4/37 by 26.4.37 |
| | to nea 27/4/37 |
| | 41 WQ 27/4/37 by 27-4-37 |
| 7 | D.O. No D 7280 dy 28-4-37 To C.S. of Mysore asks him to remind the companies and forward a reply soon Letter No 2627 d 7/5/37 Letter No 3045- d 23/6/37 Letter No 2438 d 4/5/38 } From the Chief Engineer's Office |

Further action in letter 5-4-37-1 file 3956/37-38

for 26/7/38

May they papers be filed or further reminder be awaited? Ref the reminders & the Dewan's reminder (Paras 29 + 30) above

Submy 1/7



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Ws file 3956

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Serial No.

A letter addressed by Dr. Kenneth Taylor to the Dewan, about January 1938, on this subject was received & subsq to the Dev Secy. Dr Taylor had also asked for a date to discuss the scheme (on this & similar to that sent with the Ch-Engrs letter of 4-5-38). This letter may be put up.

The views of Govt on the scheme formulated, have not been received as yet, so far as our knowledge goes. The Govt. has to be intimated Govt appl. or otherwise of the scheme, & modifications suggd., if any, may have to be urged.

1/7
1.7.38

The file (3956) containing letter dated 24/6/38 addressed to the Dewan by Mr. Kenneth B. Taylor is herewith submitted as desired. The papers were filed as per the orders passed thereon by Dev Secy on 28/6/38.

Perusal if any further orders if any action is not necy. communicated above

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Dev Secy

Ref 56-37 (Linked)

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1/7 They have taken further action along the lines suggested by us

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2 with a copy of letter A
patron marked on file C2

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SUBJECT Employment of Qualified Engineers in the responsible places in the various depts of the K.-f. mines.

Section Geol.
File No. 77-35
Serial No. 1

*Diary No. of letter replied to*.....

No. D.5028/Geol.

To The Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives

General and Revenue Secretariat

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*the* *193* .

Dear Sir,

I am directed to Confidential invite reg to para 8 of the Memorandum d 6/7/34 embodying the result of discussion with the representatives of the K.-f. mines, Messrs Ralph Hyde & Kenneth Taylor, on 24/6/34 and earlier dates in regard to the renewal of the K.-f. Mining (extract given in the margin for ready reference) leases and to request you to ascertain and report what has been done so far in the matter of the employment of Qualified Engineers in responsible places in the various depts of the K.-f. mines.

Date of issue 17.2.36

Signed by Mgr D.C.S.

List of enclosures.....

Copied by .....

Examined by.....

G.S.
Secy 27/2/36 MW.

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C.E.S Rao Esquire

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

D. O. No. D. 5028/Encl.

*Dated, Bangalore,* 18th Feb. 1936.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to invite reference to para 8 of confidential Memorandum dated the 6th February 1934, embodying the result of discussion with the representatives of the Kolar Gold Mines, Messrs. Ralph Nye and Kenneth Taylor, on 24th January 1934 and earlier dates in regard to the renewal of the Kolar Gold Mining leases (extract enclosed for ready reference) and to request you to ascertain and report the action that has been taker in the matter of the larger employment of qualified Mysoreans to responsible places in the various departments of the Kolar Gold Mines.

Yours sincerely,

C.E. Suryanarayana Rao, Esq., Mem.A.I.M.E., Assoc. I.M.M.
Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives.

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SUBJECT Employment of Mynreans in the K.G.F mines

Section Geol

File No. 77-35

Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. D. 6111

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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the 193 .

Dear Sir

In continuation of my D.O. letter No. D-5028/36 (2) Geol 77-35-1 dt. 17.2.36 requesting a report of action taken for the larger employment of qualified mynreans to responsible places in the various departments of the Kolar Gold Mines, I am desired to state that during his recent visit to the Kolar Gold Field the Second Member of Council brought to the notice of the Mining Board the necessity for taking some definite action with regard to the employment

Date of issue 8/4/36 V

Signed by Mr D.C.S

List of enclosures.....

Copied by WBLG.

Examined by.....

of Mysoreans on the Gold mines. While expressing certain difficulties which they felt in the matter the Supdts of the mines promised to do all that was possible & stated that it would greatly facilitate matters if a list of Mysoreans qualified & available for employment in different departments (particularly underground work) was supplied to them. I am to request you to be so good as remind you about the ~~~~ at the ~~~~, Kemmatty, instructions given to you & the 2nd Member, ~~in this connection~~, to have the list in question prepd in consultation with the Rep of the Univ, the Principal of the Engg College & the Director of Public Instruction & to ~~request you to report the reasons for the matter~~ forthwith & submit the same to Govt ~~the list of candidates~~ when it is ready.

The action taken by you may be reported to Govt unofficially.

Y. S.
MW
4/4/36

To the Chief Insp of mines & Explosives. in regard

Draft

6th April

D. 6111

Dear Sir,

Ge(77-35-1

In continuation of my D.O. letter No.D.5028 dated 17th February 1936 requesting a report of action taken for the larger employment of qualified Mysoreans to responsible places in the various departments of the Kolar Gold Mines, I am desired to state that during his recent visit to the Kolar Gold Field, the Second Member of Council brought to the notice of the Mining Board the necessity for taking some definite action with regard to the employment of Mysoreans on the Gold Mines. While expressing certain difficulties which they felt in the matter the Superintendents of the mines promised to do all that was possible and stated that it would greatly facilitate matters if a list of Mysoreans qualified and available for employment in different departments (particularly underground work) was supplied to them.

I am to request you to be so good as to have the list in question prepared in consultation with the Registrar of the University, the Principal of the Engineering College and the Director of Public Instruction and submit the same to Government when it is ready.

The action taken by you may be reported for the information of Government.

Yours sincerely,

Draft

C.E.Suryanarayana Rao, Esq., Mem.A.I.M.E.,Assoc.I.M.M.,
Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives. in Mysore.

Geol

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

GEN. & REVT. SECRETARIAT
14 APR. 1936

Telegraphic Address :—
"MINESPECTOR"

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

D.O. No. 2400.
Enc: one.

*Dated Oorgaum,* 11th April 1936.
*(S. India).*

Geol. 4771
Geol-77-35-3

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. D. 6111/Geol.77-35-2 dated 8th April 1936 requesting me to report the action taken regarding the compilation of a list of duly qualified Mysoreans for employment in the various Departments of Mines on the Kolar Gold Field, I have herein enclosed for information a copy of my letter addressed to the Registrar of the University, Principal, Engineering College and Director of Public Instruction.

Yours sincerely,

C E Lyanarayanadas

M. Venkatanaranappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the
Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

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*Telegraphic address:*
"MINESPECTOR."

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

D.O. No. 2401-03.

*Dated, Oorgaum,* **11th April 1936.**

Dear Sir,

I am desired by Government to prepare in consultation with you and submit a list of Mysoreans who are duly qualified and available for employment in the various Departments of Mines on the K.G.F (particularly for underground work). Graduates holding Diplomas in Mining and Metallurgy either from the Benares Hindu University or the Indian School of Mines at Dhanbad near Calcutta will be preferred and the claims of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering graduates also will be considered. The young men selected should be between 20 and 25 years of age with very strong physique and special aptitude for underground work which is arduous and risky.

An early compliance is requested.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. C.E.Suryanarayana Rao,

The Registrar, Mysore University, Mysore.
The Principal, College of Engineering, Bangalore.
The Director of Public Instruction in Mysore, Bangalore.

"Copy"

C E S Rao

*Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives in Mysore.*

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Section Geol.

File No. 77-35

Serial No. 17

*Diary No. of letter replied to*..... 21

No. D. 335 8/7/36

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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*the* *193* .

Dear Sir,

With refce to correspondence ending with your Do No. 2400 dated 11-4-1936, I am desired to enquire how the question of employment of ~~more than~~ larger no. of qualified Mysoreans in the mines as the K.G.F. stands now.

Date of issue 17.7.36

Signed by H.V. Krishna Rao

Compilation of a list of duly qualified Mysoreans and their employment in the various depts of the K.G.F. Mines stands

Yours sincerely

Sd/-

11.7.36

List of enclosures.....

To.

The Ch. Inspr of Mines & Explosives in Mysore Bangalore.

Copied by .....

Examined by.....

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9,

14th July 17

D.No. D335

Dear Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your D,O. No. 2400 dated 11th April 1936, I am desired to enquire how the question of compilation of a list of duly qualified Mysoreans and their employment in the various Departments of the Kolar Gold Field Mines stands.

Yours sincerely,

C.E. Suryanarayana Rao, Esq., Mem.A.I.M.E.,
Assoc. I.M.M.,
Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives in Mysore,
Oorgaum.

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Geol 77-35

D. M. E. 31.]

*Telegraphic address:*
"MINESPECTOR."

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES
IN MYSORE.

D.O. No. 375.

*Dated, Oorgaum,* 17th August 1936.

18 AUG. 1936

DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter No.D.335 dated 14/17th July 1936 re compilation of a list of duly qualified Mysoreans for employment in the Kolar Gold Field Mines, I requested the Director of Public Instruction, Principal, College of Engineering and the Registrar, Mysore University to kindly furnish me the lists of qualified candidates available for employment (vide my D.O.letter No.2400 dated 11th April 1936) The Director of Public Instruction replied stating that he had no record of the class of candidates required and that no information was readily available in his office. The Principal, College of Engineering, while regretting his inability to send an accurate list of old graduates of the College available for employment because most of them had not kept up communication with the college, has sent a list - rough - of graduates qualifed in mechanical & Electrical Engineering, some of whom are still undergoing practical training. The Registrar Mysore University also referred me to this list in reply to my letter.

Lists of Mysore Candidates (Mining and Metallurgical Engineers) who have passed out from the Hindu University at Benares and the Indian School of Mines at Dhanbad, called for from the Principals of these institutions are awaited. As soon as they are received a consolidated list of candidates available for employment will be made and sent to the Mining Board for selection and a copy of it to Government, for information.

I may add here that in recent years the mines have been gradually employing duly qualified Indians for responsible posts and there are about fifteen of them employed at present of whom nine are Mysoreans.

Yours sincerely,

C E Srinivasaraghava Rao

M. Venkatanaranappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

Geol 77-35-4

# GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

Telegraphic Address :—
"MINESPECTOR"

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

*Dated Oorgaum,* 15th December 193
*(S. India).*

No. 1388.
Encl. One.

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT
3141
16 DEC. 1936
GOVT OF MYSORE

FROM

C. E. SURYANARAYANA RAU, ESQ., MEM., A.I.M.E., ETC.,
*Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives in Mysore.*

To

M. Venkatanarayanappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. D.3812/Geol.77-35 dated 7/10th December 1936 regarding the employment of Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold Field, I have the honour to state that a list of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering graduates of the Mysore University compiled with the help of the Principal, Engineering College, Bangalore, together with the names of Mysoreans who have qualified themselves in Mining and Metallurgy from the Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad and the Hindu University, Benares was sent with my letter No.916 dated 20/21st October 1936 to the Secretary Kolar Gold Field Mining Board with a request to absorb them in the Mine establishments as opportunities arise in the future.

I have herein enclosed copy of letter dated the 12th December 1936 received from the Secretary, Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee on this subject stating that their technical departments are fully staffed at the present time and that they do not anticipate any vacancies occurring in the immediate future and in the event, however, of any vacancies arising, the claims of Mysoreans will receive careful consideration.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
C E Suryanarayana Rau
Chief Inspector of Mines &
Explosives in Mysore.

R.S.

Letter dated 12th December 1936 from the Secretary, Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee, Oorgaum to the Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives in Mysore, Oorgaum.

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I have the honour to inform you that your letter No.916 dated 20/21st October addressed to the Kolar Gold Field Mining Board has been passed on to this Committee for disposal. The letter encloses a list of graduates of the Mysore University who are qualified as Mechanical and Electrical Engineers and the names of candidates who have qualified in Mining and Metallurgy from the School of Mines, Kolar and the Benares Hindu University, and it expresses the hope that the candidates will be absorbed as opportunities arise in the future. It is noted that of the 35 candidates, two are qualified in Mining and Metallurgy, 16 in Mechanical and 17 in Electrical Engineering.

I have to inform you that your letter has been considered by Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee and I am instructed to state that whilst sharing Government's desire to see a greater number of qualified Mysoreans employed in the Mines, the Mining Companies consider it necessary respectfully to point out that vacancies in the Mines' Technical Departments in which the candidates would appear to be qualified to work are infrequent occurrences these Departments are at the present time fully staffed and it is not anticipated that there will be any vacancies in the immediate future. In the event however of any vacancies arising the names of the candidates referred to by you will receive careful consideration

"Cory"

Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives in Mysore.

15/12/36.

R.S.

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File No. 77-35

Serial No. 5

*Diary No. of letter replied to*.....

No. D 4065.

To The Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives

General and Revenue Secretariat

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*the* *193* .

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No 1388 dated 15/1/1936 re the employment of Engineers on the K.G.F., I am directed to request you to send a list of Mechanical & electrical Graduates of the Engineering [illegible] in mining & metallurgy from the Indian schools of [illegible] Chamber of Mines, the Hyderabad University & Benares University which you have supplied to the Secy, K.G.F. Mining Board.

Date of issue 31st Dec 1936

Signed by Mr. K. Subba Rao.

List of enclosures.....

Copied by Which you have

Examined by.....

I have, etc.

31.12.36

for Secy

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat 12

No. D 4065/Geol 77-35-5 Dated, Bangalore, ~~28th~~ 31st December 1936

From

*Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Development Department.*

To

The Chief Inspector of Mines & Explosives in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.1388 dated 15th December 1936 regarding the employment of Mysoreans on the K.G.F., I am directed to request you to send a list of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering graduates which you have supplied to the Secretary, Kolar Gold Fields Mining Board.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

Geol 77-35-5

*Telegraphic Address :—*
"MINSPECTOR"

No 1486
Encl: 1

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

*Dated Oorgaum,* 2nd January *193* 7.
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FROM

C. E. SURYANARAYANA RAU, ESQ., [redacted], ETC.,
*Chief Inspector of Mines and Explosives in Mysore.*

To

M. Venkatanaranappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Development Dept.,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.D.4065/Geol.77-35-5 dated 28/31st December 1936, I have the honour to enclose herewith a List of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Graduates which was supplied to the Secretary, Kolar Gold Field Mining Board.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

C E Suryanarayanarau
Chief Inspector of Mines &
Explosives in Mysore.

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STATEMENT OF MYSOREAN GRADUATES IN MINING AND METALLURGY, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING SEEKING EMPLOYMENT.

| Sl. No. | Name of candidate. | Date of birth & age on date of passing Degree examination. | Year of passing. | Address in Mysore. |
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| | | MINING AND METALLURGY. | | |
| 1. | K. N. Prahlada Rao | 25 years | 1933 | No.19, V Main Road, Chamarajpet, Bangalore. |
| 2. | H.P. Duraiswamiengar | 24 years | 1935 | Hiremagalur, Chickmagalur, Kadur Dt. |
| | | MECHANICAL. | | |
| 3. | H.S. Krishna Rao | Octr. 1899 | 1923 | |
| 4. | L. Rangaswami Iyengar | April 1900 | 1923 | |
| 5. | B.S. Subramanya Iyer | July 1903 | 1925 | c/o S.Muthuswami Iyer, Esq., Ex.Engineer, Lower Channel Division, Mysore. |
| 6. | M. Venkatanarayana | 23 years | 1925 | |
| 7. | C.K.Srininasa Murthy | October 1902 | 1926 | |
| 8. | C.Subba Rao | 24 years | 1926 | |
| 9. | L. Vaman Rao | Septr. 1904 | 1929 | |
| 10. | B.V.Rama Murthy | 1906 | 1931 | |
| 11. | K. Ramaswami | ... | 1930 | |
| 12. | M.C.Srinivasa Iyengar | August.1908 | 1932 | |
| 13. | G.R.Srinivasa Prasanna | Febry. 1908 | 1933 | c/o G.R.Narasimha Iyengar, Esq., Srinilaya, Malleswaram, Bangalore. |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 14. P.V. Ramachandra Rao | June 1908 | 1932 | |
| 15. D.S. Nageca Rao | Octr.1911 | 1935 | 97, Old Agrahar, K.R.Mohalla, Mysore. |
| 16. Mohamed Ali Khan | Novr.1908 | 1935 | 1910 Vidiga Extension, Mysore. |
| 17. S.R. Ramaswami | Novr. 1910 | 1935 | Apprentice Engineer, Technical Institute, Jamshedpur. |
| 18. K. Narayana Rao | Octr.1898 | 1926 | |

ELECTRICAL.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 19. R. Gangadharan | Octr.1904 | 1929 | |
| 20. S. Seetharamiah | 23 years | 1929 | |
| 21. S.L.Arkeshvariah | 22 years | 1930 | |
| 22. C.G.Panduranga Vittal | Octr.1907 | 1930 | |
| 23. S.N.Vishvanatha | Septr.1909 | 1930 | |
| 24. M.S.Tirunarayanan | April 1909 | 1931 | |
| 25. N.S.Anantha Rao | Octr.1905 | 1931 | |
| 26. H.S. Keshava Murthy | Octr.1905 | 1931 | |
| 27. K.S.Krishna Murthy | July 1905 | 1931 | |
| 28. B.N. Sarangapani Rao | .. | 1931 | |
| 29. K. Narasimhiah | Aug. 1908 | 1932 | Electrical Laboratory, Bangalore. |
| 30. B.S. Rajiengar | June 1906 | 1932 | Engineer & Contractor, 1, Sehsadri Road, Bangalore. |
| 31. S.N.Chennakeshavarayan | Dcer.1910 | 1934 | 89, Diagonal Road, Visveswarapuram, Bangalore City. |
| 32. M. Vasudeva Rao | June 1908 | 1934 | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 33. N.G. Krishna Rao I class, 2nd rank | Octr.1913 | 1935. | Margosa Road, Malleswaram, Bangalore. |
| 34. B.S. Sehsadri Iyengar | July 1913 | .. | c/o M. Srinivasa Iyengar, Es., B.A., B.L., Advocate, Lakshmipuram, Mysore. |
| 35. K. Nagabhushanam Iyer | Feby.1913 | 1936 | 106[1], Chamundi Extension, Mysore (now in Bangalore). |

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C E S Rao

Oorgaum, K.G.F.,
20/10/1936
D.S.R.

Chief Inspector of Mines &
Explosives in Mysore.

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Dear Sir,

Employment of Mysoreans on the K. G. F.

I am ~~directed~~ desired to invite reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 1486 dated 2nd January 1937 on the above subject and to state that Government consider it necessary to remind the K. G. F. Mining companies again that they have yet to implement the understanding arrived at between their representatives and the Government about the employment of Mysorean at the time the Special Prospecting license for gold and silver was issued to them and also when the K. G. F. mining leases were renewed.

I am therefore to request that the Mining Companies may be ~~told~~ informed that Government expect them to see that a sufficient number of Mysoreans are employed in their organisation.

A report of action taken in the matter may be sent for the information of Government.

Yours sincerely,

24/4/37

The Chief Inspector of Mines
and Explosives in Mysore.

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M/K. Subba Rao

Geol 77-35- 20

D. M. E. 31.]

*Telegraphic address:*
"MINESPECTOR."

10 MAY 1937 DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

DEVELOPMENT BRANCH OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

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*Dated, Oorgaum,* 7th May 1937.

D.O. No 2622

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OF SECRETARIAT COUNCIL.
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Employment of Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold Field.

As desired in your D.O. letter No.D.7280/Geol. 77-35-7 dated 28th April 1937 I beg to inform you that the attention of the Superintendents of the Mines on the Kolar Gold Field was drawn to the understanding arrived at between the representatives of the Mines and the Government about the employment of Mysoreans, at the time of the renewal of the mining leases and they were also informed that Government expect them to see that a sufficient number of Mysoreans are employed in their organisation.

I am informed by the Secretary, Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee that the views of Government were placed before the Committee at their meeting held on the 29th April and that the matter has been referred to Messrs. John Taylor & Sons, London, for instructions.

A further report will be submitted to Government as soon as the necessary instructions are received from the London Managers of the Mines.

Yours sincerely,

K. Venkatasami

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Offg.Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department, Bangalore.

For favour of perusal with connected papers.
Further report may be awaited.

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24 JUNE 1937 DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

D. M. E. 31.]

*Telegraphic address:*
"MINESPECTOR."

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 24 JUNE 1937 NO 9175

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES IN MYSORE.

*Dated, Oorgaum,* 23rd June 1937.

D.O. No 3045

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Enclosure.

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Employment of Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold Field.

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my D.O. letter No.2622 dated 7th May 1937 stating that the question of the employment of Mysoreans by the Mines on the Kolar Gold Field has been referred to Messrs. John Taylor & Sons, London, for instructions, I beg to enclose herewith, for the information of Government copy of letter dated 4th June 1937 received by the Secretary, Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee, Oorgaum, from the London Managers on the above subject.

It will be seen from the letter of the London Managers that during their next visit to the Field they intend to bring up certain proposals for discussion with Government with a view to improve the existing policy of employment of Mysoreans.

Yours sincerely,

K. Venkatanaranappa

M. Venkatanaranappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

For perusal

Secretary to Dewan

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SECRETARIAT 29 JUNE 1937 DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

25-6-37 MW. 26.6.37.

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JOHN TAYLOR & SONS.

6, Queen Street Place,
London, E.C.4,
4th June 1937.

W.R. Crocker, Esq.,
Secretary,
Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee.

Dear Sir,

EMPLOYMENT OF MYSOREANS.

In reference to the Chief Inspector of Mines' letter to the Committee dated 29th April last on the subject of the employment of Mysoreans in the Mining Companies' service, you may request the Chief Inspector of Mines to inform Government as follows:-

It is common ground that at the time the new leases and the special prospecting license were negotiated there was an understanding that efforts would be made towards the increased employment of Mysoreans and it was hoped at the time that the object might be achieved by giving special consideration to Mysoreans as and when vacancies occurred. It is now apparent that this line of procedure is not proving altogether satisfactory and our present and active consideration is being given as to what should be done to improve it. So far as we have advanced in our consideration, it would seem likely that there must be a clearer definition of the Mining Companies' policy accompanied by an understanding with Government for their co-operation in implementing it. We propose therefore to continue our consideration of the subject on those lines with the intention of having proposals available for discussion with Government during our next visit to the Field.

It may be remarked in passing that we are assuming that Government are concerned with the appointment of Mysoreans to posts which are mostly held at present by Europeans from overseas some of whom are classed as Officers. The opportunities for new

appointments

appointments to the Officer Class are not very frequent and there are more opportunities in the non-officer class. We judge from the list of candidates which was furnished by Government in October 1936 that out of a total of 35, 2 only were equipped in Mining and Metallurgy, 16 in Mechanical Engineering and 17 in Electrical Engineering, but we are not aware to which class, whether officer or non-officer, they were intended to be suitable for. It may also be pointed out that whereas only 2 out of 35 were qualified in Mining & Metallurgy those are the very departments which provide the greater proportion of the Mining Companies appointments. This may account in some measure for the apparent slowness of the advance which has been made towards meeting Government's wishes and will be referred to again later when discussion in detail is entered upon.

We are, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

(Sd.) John Taylor & Sons.

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Chief Inspector of Mines &
Explosives in Mysore. I/C.

23/6/37.

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*Telegraphic Address:—*
"MINESPECTOR"

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.**

D.O. No. 2438 ~~Dated Oorgaum,~~ 4th May 1938.

Re: of

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (S. India).
6 MAY 1938
No. 8491

GEN. & REVENUE SECRETARIAT * DEVELOPMENT BRANCH *

Seen by Dewan's Office

Dear Sir,

Subject: Employment of Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold Fields.

7691. In continuation of my D.O. letter No.3045 dated 23rd June 1937, I beg to enclose herewith for the information of Government copy of letter addressed to:-

The Registrar, University of Mysore, Mysore
The Principal, College of Engineering, Bangalore
The Principal, Central College, Bangalore

by the Secretary, Messrs. John Taylor & Sons' Committee, detailing a Scheme formulated for the employment of Mysoreans in the Technical Departments of the Kolar Gold Field Mining Companies.

Yours sincerely,

M. Venkatanarainappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

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MESSRS. JOHN TAYLOR & SONS' COMMITTEE,

Oorgaum, South India,

May, 3rd 1938.

"Copy"

Dear Sir,

In connection with a Scheme recently formulated for the employment of Mysoreans in the Technical Departments of the Kolar Gold Field Mining Companies I have to inform you that on behalf of the Mining Companies I am prepared to receive applications from Mysorean Indian Graduates for appointment as Probationers. It is expected that the commencing date of the appointments will be 1st August 1938 but this will be subject to confirmation in due course.

For your information I give below some particulars relating to the Scheme referred to above.

1. The Mining Companies will aim to absorb into the present establishment of officers 14 Mysoreans, as follows:-

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|---|---|
| Underground Department | 6 |
| Metallurgical do | 3 |
| Mechanical Engineering do | 3 |
| Electrical do | 2 |
| | 14 |

2. The Mining Companies will provide a two year course of training for selected Graduates designated as Probationers. At any one time the number shall not exceed 14 allocated as above so that in the first year and each subsequent year the Mining Companies will take for training 7 Graduates.

3. The selection of candidates for appointment as Probationers will be made by Messrs. John Taylor

& Sons, London, on the recommendation of the Superintendents of the several Mining Companies having regard mainly to standard of education, technical training and social status.

4. Vacancies in the establishment of officers will normally be filled by the promotion of such Probationers as are considered suitable at the end of their two year course of training. It must however be understood that the selection of a Graduate as a Probationer does not imply any guarantee of future employment on the Mines and in any event the employment of a Probationer will cease and determine at the expiration of the two year course of training.

5. Probationers

(a) will be employed on a monthly basis subject to termination of employment without notice,

(b) must be over 21 and under 25 years of age and will be required to pass a medical examination annually,

(c) will be paid a salary of Rs.80/- per month,

(d) will be provided with free bungalow accommodation, furniture, fuel, light and servants,

(e) will be granted three weeks' leave at the end of the first year.

6. Probationers will be expected to conduct themselves in every way as if they were officers of the Company, and to take an active interest and participation in all the activities of the Company pertaining to the welfare of its employees, and to promote the best interests of the Company.

7. In the letters offering employment to Mysoreans as Probationers, the terms and conditions pertaining to such employment will be clearly set out and in accepting the employment offered, the Mysorean concerned will ipso facto bind himself to observe such terms and conditions.

On receipt of first applications from candidates a standard form of application will be posted to them direct for completion and return and successful applicants will be notified in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Sd. W.R. Crocker,
Secretary.

R.S.

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF MINES &
EXPLOSIVES IN MYSORE.
11.5.38.

Telegraphic Address:-
"MINESPECTOR"

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND EXPLOSIVES.

D. O. No. 505.

Dated Oorgaum, (S. India) 16th September 1938

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF GOVT.
30 SEPT 1938
No.....2316

GEN. & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH.

Dear Sir,

Employment of Mysoreans on the Kolar Gold Field.

In continuation of my D.O. letter No.2438 dated 4th May 1938 re: the employment of Mysoreans in the Technical Departments of the Kolar Gold Field Mining Companies, I beg to inform you that the undermentioned five Mysoreans have been appointed as Probationers in the various Departments of the Mines:-

| Name of the candidate | Company | Department |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Mr. C.R. Ramaswami | Mysore Mine | Underground |
| 2. " E. Krishnaswami | Champion Reef Mine | do |
| 3. " P.N. Vijaya Raghavan | Ooregum Mine | do |
| 4. " H.C. Ramanna | Nundydroog Mine | Metallurgical |
| 5. " B.N.N. Iyengar | K.G.F. Electricity Department. | Electrical. |

Yours sincerely,

M. Venkatanaranappa, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE
1 OCT. 1938
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